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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the ☒ Utility ☐ Design nonprovisional patent application of:

Inventor / Application Identifier: **Kenji Tsumura**

☐ See Inventor Information Sheet attached

For: **PRODUCT CONSIGNMENT MANAGEMENT DEVICE AND PRODUCT  
CONSIGNMENT MANAGEMENT METHOD FOR CALL SALES**

☒ This is a new patent application.

☐ This is the Natl Stage Application of the above-identified PCT Application.

☐ This is a: ☐ Continuation Application

☐ Divisional Application

☐ Continuation-in-Part Application

of prior Application Serial No. \_.

☐ Cancel in this application original claims \_ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.

☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

-- This is a ☐ Continuation, ☐ Division, ☐ Continuation-in-part, of  
Application

☐ Incorporation By Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

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## PRIORITY CLAIMS

	Applicant hereby claims the benefit of the filing date of the following provisional application(s) under the provision of 35 USC 119.	
X	Applicant hereby claims the benefit under the provisions of 35 USC 119 of the filing dates of the following applications: <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Japan Patent Appln. No. 2000-244548 filed August 11, 2000</b></p> of which certified copies thereof	
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Total Claims	4	20	0	\$18	\$0
Independent Claims	2	3	0	\$80	\$0
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